

DON R. HICKS, who is now serving a stretch in his Uncle Sam's Navy, wants to keep up with goings-on in his home town community, so he naturally asks that we send him The Hamlin Herald.

Aboard the USS Coral Sea, he is with the U. S. fleet in the Pacific. His letter to Your Home Town Paper reads: "I would like to subscribe to The Hamlin Herald. As you already know I am from Hamlin, and would like to know just what's going on, and believe through your paper's column I would be able to know the latest news of happenings thereabouts."

REV. EDMUND W. ROBB, pastor of the First Methodist Church, declares emphatically that, contrary to insinuations being made by some, his long sermon topics that have been posted in the bulletin board in front of the church did not cause it to collapse last Tuesday.

"It positively was caused by the high winds of that day," the right reverend avers as he tried to explain the mishap to friends. Robb does admit that he has been chided about some of the long titles placed on the board in the past, which could not be read by motorists who whizzed by the front of the house of worship.

IN A QUANT old cemetery in the East is a marker erected to the memory of a man whose life is reckoned successful. Upon the marker has been carved an epitaph that should be a tonic to our day. It reads thus:

I tried and failed,
I tried again and failed,
I tried again and failed,
I tried again and failed,
I tried again and failed,
I tried again and failed,
I tried again and won.

BIG PLEASURE and great happiness are but the consummation of many little pleasures and deeds of kindness bound together, as a loaf of bread is many crumbs in the aggregate.

Happiness is the art of finding joy and satisfaction in the little privilege of life; a quiet hour in the sun, instead of a far-away journey; a little outing in the nearby woods, instead of long trips away; an hour with a friend, instead of an extended visit with relatives; a few pages of a book, instead of hours of reading at a time; a flash of sunset, a single beautiful flower, a passing smile, a kindly word, a little gift bestowed anonymously, a little thoughtfulness here and there as the day slips by... these are the crumbs of happiness. Do not despise them, lest when the evening finds you, you be a-hungered and disconsolate.

ANOTHER BATCH of pertinent paragraphs we have picked up here and there and deserve wider circulation...

"Fiction is responsible for many marriages," says a novelist. Particularly the fiction that two can live as cheap as one.

A diplomat is one who can bring home the bacon without spilling the beans.

Few people listen to the voice of experience. They heed her only when she kicks them in the pants. Although there's never a shortage of trouble, some people insist on wasting time looking for it.

One of the big television networks has eliminated canned laughter. How will viewers know when jokes are funny?

Does anyone know where people who live beyond their incomes get the money?

The Country Parson



"When folks have a serious disagreement, they seem to keep it alive by arguing about a lot of little things instead of the issue."



MARCH OF DIMES PROMOTION MATERIAL was placed in business houses of Hamlin last week by boys from the eighth grade of Junior High School. Marvin D. Carlton, chairman of the fund drive in the community, is shown above as he loads the boys with posters, coin collectors and other paraphernalia pertaining to the drive. The boys are Gary Ted Joy, Jerry Cooper, Jaylon Fincannon, Nicky Moore, Jimmy Inzer and Butch Holland.

District Supervisor For Census Named

Census taking project in the Hamlin territory began to take shape last week-end with naming of Max V. Mossholder, Abilene oilman and public relations man, as district supervisor for the 1960 census of population and housing.

Hamlin FFA Boys to Enter Abilene Show

Hamlin High School members of the Future Farmers of America will have 18 entries in the regional livestock show at Abilene Monday and Tuesday. It was announced this week by T. C. Blankinship, VA teacher and FFA sponsor.

The boys will exhibit 18 barrows 14 pens of broilers and 16 capons that were among the prize winners at the recent Jones County Club Boys' Livestock Show at Stamford.

Most of the entries will be taken to Abilene Sunday afternoon, the VA instructor says, so that they will be ready when judging begins in the show Monday morning.

Various Organizations Urge Citizens To Pay Poll Taxes Before Deadline

Pay your poll tax before January 31 if you want to have a voice in selecting those who govern you, urge several organizations and key community leaders this week in the Hamlin community.

Hamlin Business and Professional Women's Club, Rotary and Lions Clubs and the Jones County Farm Bureau are among groups emphasizing the importance of poll tax payment.

C. E. Gregory of Neinda, president of the Farm Bureau, especially urges farmers and ranchers

Attendance at City Sunday Schools Above 1,200 Sunday

Attendance at Sunday Schools of the 12 reporting churches of Hamlin stayed about the 1,200 mark Sunday but registered a decline of 36 from the previous Sunday. The 1,220 total for Sunday also was 23 less than the year ago total of 1,243.

Attendance, by churches, for January 17, January 10 and a year ago follows:

Churches	Jan. 17	Jan. 10	Year Ago
Ch. of Nazarenes	78	71	81
First Baptist	394	415	376
Foursquare Gospel	51	62	56
No. Cen. Baptist	74	83	93
Mexican Baptist	52	36	46
Sunset Baptist	40	52	46
Faith Methodist	55	48	56
Church of Christ	140	151	169
Calvary Baptist	47	32	37
Assembly of God	42	44	38
Oak Gr. Col. Baptist	39	46	47
First Methodist	208	216	198
Totals	1220	1256	1243

The census area, which is the 17th Congressional District, is composed of Callahan, Comanche, Eastland, Erath, Fisher, Hamilton, Jones, Nolan, Palo Pinto, Parker, Scurry, Shackelford, Stephens and Taylor Counties.

Mossholder, who was agricultural field assistant for the 1959 census of agriculture, began a four-day briefing session in Dallas Monday. During the training period, he is being advised how many crew leaders and office workers he can employ for the Abilene office, which will be located in the Commerce Building at 174 Cypress Street. Locations of duty stations for crew leaders will also be announced at the Dallas session, he said. The field canvass begins April 1.

The patronage job of district supervisor carries a salary of approximately \$500 a month. A civil service rating is necessary for the job.

Mossholder was district committeeman for the Republican party for about four years, resigning August 1, 1959. Prior to that time he was GOP county chairman for two years and Precinct 7 chairman for two years.

Interior Remodeling Underway at Bailey's

Major remodeling project in the interior of Bailey's Department Store is underway, notes Clarence Bailey, co-owner of the concern. Improvement program will include complete decoration of the store interior, installation of new lighting fixtures, and departmentizing of the stocks so that patrons may more easily avail themselves of self service, Bailey says.

Workmen have recently completed alterations to the Reynolds Drug Store building that improve the appearance on the interior.

New strip acoustical ceiling has been installed throughout the store, and new fluorescent lighting fixtures greatly improve the no-glare lighting effects. Other rearrangements of counters and displays add to the interior attractiveness.

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One Completion, One Wildcat Hold Area Oil Spotlight

One completion, one stake-out and a plugging constitute highlights of oil activity in the Hamlin area during the past several days.

W. M. and A. P. Fuller of Midland completed their No. 6 W. C. Weir as a producer 12 miles north of Hamlin in the Guest (Canyon) Field. It is in R. T. Wilder Survey 26. Daily potential was 123.4 barrels of 41-gravity oil, flowing through a 14-64 inch choke and 80 perforations at 4,510-4,542 feet. Formation was fractured. Casing was set at 4,700 feet, with hole bottomed at 4,701 feet. Casing pressure was 173 pounds and tubing pressure 275. Gas-oil ratio was 475 to one.

R. R. Bloomer of Abilene and Skinner Corporation staked a Jones County wildcat seven miles northeast of Hamlin. The venture is No. 1 E. D. Ashburn, slated for 4,200 feet with rotary equipment. Drillsite is 1,975 feet from the north and 2,775 feet from the west line of Section 116, Block 1, B. B. & C. Railway Company Survey.

Jim B. Curry of Abilene No. 1 J. D. McGough, wildcat five miles north of Hamlin in W. E. Kaye Survey 6, was plugged at 3,570 feet.

Mrs. Lusara Cowan To Get NTSC Degree

Mrs. Lusara (Dean) Cowan of Hamlin is one of the 284 seniors who have applied for bachelor's degrees at North Texas State College this semester, according to a release from the Denton school.

Winter commencement exercises will be held at 2:00 p. m. January 28 in the main auditorium. Rev. Martin H. Thomas of Denton's First Presbyterian Church will be the speaker.

Mrs. Cowan, daughter of Mrs. Faye Dean of Hamlin, is a candidate for the bachelor of science degree in education.

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SENATORS CONFER—State Senators Grady Hazlewood (left) of Amarillo and George Parkhouse of Dallas confer during the public hearing in Austin before the State Insurance Board. They are opposed to the new merit rating plan for automobile insurance. The hearing, starting in the auditorium of the State Highway Building, was moved to the House of Representatives when the auditorium would not accommodate the crowd.

March of Dimes Campaign Gets Underway in Hamlin



PLANNING FOR FUTURE—The third grade True Blue Bluebird group pictured in the foreground above was in the tree planting project sponsored by the Hamlin Garden Club last Friday. They are (left to right): Dixie Kelley, Jane Hymer, Sharee Nail, Cindy Bryant, Jo Lynn Johnson, Jill Maberry, Julia Ann Scott, Patti Cowan, Cheryl Walton, Patricia Elkins, Patty Murphree, Rhea Sue Vaughan, Debra Scarborough, Jerry Elliott, Pat Perrin and Dianna Crowley. In the background are the leaders, Mrs. Jean Elliott and Mrs. Wesley Nail, and a portion of the seventh grade sponsoring Camp Fire Girls—Elizabeth Cunningham, Mary Ann Elkins, Connie Jo Duncan, Mary Lois Patterson and Carolyn Reynolds.

Industries of Community to Be Saluted at BCD Banquet

Low of 14 Tabbed Wednesday to Set Record for Season

Although most folks living in the Hamlin territory will tell you that the cold spell that has persisted in the territory during the past 10 days has been a humdinger that would freeze the horns off a brass billy-goat, official readings of the thermometer disclose that only three of the past eight days have registered below-freezing levels.

Low for the winter season was established at 3:00 a. m. Wednesday when the mercury slid to a shivering 14.

High and low readings of the thermometer for the week follow:

Date	Low	High
January 13	46	58
January 14	50	
January 15	35	58
January 16	28	
January 17	37	
January 18	25	
January 19	17	
January 20	14	



CHAIRMAN of the 1960 March of Dimes campaign for funds in the Hamlin community that got underway late last week is Marvin D. Carlton (above), principal of Hamlin Junior High School. He and a corps of workers are busy with various projects to raise the community's quota.

In our dream of revenge, the butcher planning to build a modest home goes out in search of some cheaper cuts of lumber.—Richmond Times-Gazette.

Statistical Data To Reveal Vital Role in Economy

Mighty revealing facts are coming to light in the preparation of the community industries exhibits that will be a sidelight of the annual banquet of the Board of Community Development next Friday evening, January 29, at the Hamlin High School gymnasium.

This was disclosed this week by Willard Jones and his committee that is handling the exhibits. Eleven area industries have tentatively agreed to have exhibits at the banquet hall. Statistics on the industries' pay-rolls, production, taxes and related data will be depicted on the table booths that will be set up for each industry. The exhibits will be a combination recognition and salute by the BCD and their effect on the economy of the community, declares Orville D. Roland, BCD manager.

Spot checks by Ticket Sales Chairman W. T. Johnson first of the week indicated fair movement of the duets for the banquet, that is shooting for a record attendance of 500 people from the community and out-of-area guests.

As previously announced, principal speaker will be George R. Jordan of Brownwood, former manager of the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce. Musical numbers arranged by Carl Murrell and his program committee also will be featured.

Wesley Nail will be master of ceremonies at the affair, which will get underway at 7:00 o'clock. Banquet tickets are \$2 each, and sellers are urged to report they sales by Tuesday in order that an estimate of the probable attendance may be made for food requirements.

Robb Assists Seminole Church in Campaign

Rev. Edmund W. Robb, pastor of the First Methodist Church, was in Seminole last week participating in the enlistment revival services in the First Methodist Church there.

Rev. E. L. Yeats, former pastor of the local church, who is now retired, preached at both morning and evening services in the Hamlin church Sunday.

Traffic Blockade By Boy Scouts on Saturday Slated

Although the March of Dimes annual drive for funds for the National Foundation got underway a little belatedly in Hamlin community last week-end, good early response to the project already is being reported by Marvin D. Carlton, principal of Hamlin Junior High School, who accepted appointment as the community drive leader middle of last week.

The campaign, for which no definite quota has been assigned to the community, will be continued all during the month of January, Carlton declares. Several types of fund raising projects have been outlined in addition to reception of major gifts from business firms and major donors.

Carlton used boys from his Junior High School last Friday to distribute posters and coin receivers in the business section of the city.

Individual coin boards, which will hold six dimes, were given to students of the grade schools of the town. When the cards are returned by students, they will be presented crutch pins to indicate the filling of a coin board.

Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts of the community will conduct a traffic blockade at principal intersections of downtown streets Saturday, Carlton announces.

Saturday week, Camp Fire Girls and Bluebirds will sponsor the sale of balloons over the city.

Climax of the campaign will be conducted at the end of the month when mothers, under the direction of the Parent-Teacher Association, will put on the annual porchlight project.

Camp Fire Girls Plant Trees on Arbor Day

Camp Fire Girls and Bluebird groups have been planting trees at various public places in Hamlin reports Ed Croan, chairman of the Camp Fire Girls Council.

The project is in celebration of the golden jubilee conservation project of the Camp Fire movement. It was reported to the board that various clubs and organizations, as well as individuals, have donated trees to be planted. Leaders of the groups are grateful for renewed interest in the movement for girls, Croan stated.

Don W. Crowley Gets Assignment to Utah

Army Private Don W. Crowley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude R. Crowley of Route 1, McCaulley, recently was assigned to Headquarters Detachment of Dugway Proving Grounds, Utah, according to a release to The Herald.

Crowley, a chemical laboratory technician in the detachment, entered the Army last September and completed basic training at Fort Ord, California.

The 23-year-old soldier is a 1954 graduate of Hamlin High School and a 1959 graduate of Texas Technological College in Lubbock. He is a member of Sigma Nu fraternity.

Who's New This Week

Only two new citizens have been recorded at the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald. Both girls, they are:

A girl for Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Traugher was born January 11. Weighing seven pounds and eight ounces, she was named Lola Diane.

A girl for Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Moore of Stamford arrived January 12. After having her weight checked at seven pounds seven ounces, she accepted Penny Renee as a label.

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IDEAL TIME TO SHOW INTEREST IN YOUR TOWN

What are you—as a citizen, a builder or a knocker of your community—going to do about the progress and forward movement of your home town community, Hamlin?

The year 1960 will be the year of decision for many of the smaller communities of the land, declare economists and specialists closely associated with the business activity and expansion of communities.

Thousands of communities — both smaller and larger than Hamlin—are today being swallowed up by nearby cities that are sapping them of their home patronage and civic progressiveness. Communities that will remain and progress are the ones that have citizens who will pool their talents and energies and ideas to work together for community growth and progress.

Such an organization for promoting the advancement of the Hamlin community is the Board of Community Development. New zeal and interest in the community is now being manifested by people generally under the leadership of Orville D. Roland, BCD manager.

More and more our residents are realizing that this truly is a time of decision for communities of Hamlin's caliber—they will either

continue to grow with the cooperation of progressive citizenship and cooperation, or they will decline with a don't-give-a-darn or let-George-do-it attitudes.

This is your community. It reflects your progressiveness. It is nothing more or less than its residents make it. If its citizens build it, it will grow. If they knock it and lend no support to its enterprises and its organization, it will dwindle.

If you, as a citizen, have not been identified with the recent activities of the Board of Community Development, you have a wonderful opportunity to have a definite part in its operation and progressive moves. Get acquainted with its accomplishments, its programs and its projects for the immediate future by attending the annual banquet next Friday night, January 29.

The BCD is the melting pot for progressive ideas and the vehicle for cooperative action in the interest of advancement for Your Home Town. Be a part of its activity, remembering that only you can make your community a better place in which to live and rear your family and the families that shall come after you!

Meeting the Emergency

There is a simple but sweet story about a lowly mountain woman who, finding herself in a quandary, met the situation in a noble way. She owned a large apple orchard that brought her sufficient income for a comfortable living. But she had much trouble with small boys who would visit her orchard and covet that which was forbidden.

The orchard also was visited by the rural mail carrier who took the natural position that the apples were plentiful, and there would be no harm in appropriating a few to eat while leisurely making his mail circuit.

The mountain woman decided to gather a basketful of the finest apples, and when the little fellows would be passing, she would go out and ask them to help themselves of the luscious fruit in the basket.

With the mail carrier she figured she would fill the mailbox with the apples.

Her plans worked admirably. Neither the small boys nor the mail carrier ever attempted to enter the orchard. On the contrary, they helped her harvest the crop and offered to do many chores for her. Out of potential enemies she made stronger friends.

The moral to this story is that in our contacts with others we should use plenty of common sense.

Nuggets of Thought

To force opinion is like pushing the magnetized needle round until it points to where we wish the North Star stood.—Dorothy Canfield Fisher.

If you aspire to the highest place, it is no disgrace to stop at the second or even the third.—Cicero.

Civilization is a movement and not a condition, a voyage and not a harbor.—Arnold Toynbee.

Every man has a right to his own opinion, but no man has a right to be wrong in his facts.—Bernard M. Baruch.

We can do more good by being good than in any other way.—Rowland Hill.

Goodness is the only investment that never fails.—Henry D. Thoreau.

The longer I live the more keenly I feel that whatever was good enough for our fathers is not good enough for us.—Oscar Wilde.

The greatest pleasure I know is to do a good action by stealth and to have it found out by accident.—Charles Lamb.

I have always believed that good is only beauty put into practice.—Jean J. Rousseau.

Carving Out a Life

When a sculptor carves a statue out of stone, the stone resists his chisel, but the sculptor does not call the stone evil. He knows that it is good for through it he will bring forth something beautiful.

Each of us is a sculptor; each of us is carving a life and a soul, not out of stone but out of the living stuff of spirit, which takes much more skill to work than stone.—James Dillet Freeman in Daily Word.

Editorial of the Week

MR. YANKUS SHOULD STAY

Some time back we discussed here the problem of Stanley Yankus, a Michigan farmer who had to pay the federal government some \$4,500 in penalties because he raised wheat in excess of government restrictions, and fed it to his poultry. This Mr. Yankus at that time was mad very mad, as we agreed he had a right to be; but when, at the time, he said he was going to sell out and go to Australia "for freedom," we advised he'd better cool off and take a second "think."

At the time we weren't exactly sure about the measures of freedom in Australia for a farmer, or anybody else, but we knew vaguely that excepting perhaps New Zealand and Sweden, the far southern continent was about the most socialized country on earth; and socialism means control, which Mr. Yankus didn't like.

Now, the ever-busy Associated Press has checked up on the comparative freedoms of the United States and Australia; and as a result of its findings, we'd suggest that the honorable Mr. Yankus take still another thought or two. For, it appears, in Australia you can plant all you want to... but you'd better not try to market anything you grow or otherwise produce without consulting the government!

The Australian government will let Yankus raise anything he wants (as long as it isn't rabbits) but he'll run into boards all over the place; boards which control the sale not only of wheat, but butter, eggs, apples, pears, meat, milk, sugar, potatoes and other items. Or if he should choose to go into the grocery business there, he'll find he'll have to stop selling certain groceries at 5:30; fruit and vegetables at 8:30; delicatessen items at 10:30; and soft drinks at 11:30.

We still advise Mr. Yankus to stay in the United States, where he may freely squawk, and, moreover, vote to change the things he doesn't like.—Enid, Oklahoma, News.

RECALLING Other Years

★ Being news items taken from old files of Your Home Town Newspaper The Herald.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Scanning the old files of The Hamlin Herald, we find the following items of interest, taken from the issue of January 23, 1920:

H. S. Scales, in advertising his Country Store, urges patrons not to be late, as the store closes at 11:00 p. m. sharp.

Miss Long of the College of Industrial Arts at Denton will speak at the high school auditorium Monday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock on interior decorations. Everybody is invited.

Dr. David White, who came to Hamlin about 14 years ago, announces this week that he and his wife are moving to Springdale, Arkansas. Dr. White sold his home to B. L. Jones of the First National Bank, and his business to Rigdon Edwards, and his fixtures and office equipment to Dr. Bynum of McCauley, who will move soon to Hamlin to practice medicine.

The Opera House advertises a Paramount picture with Billie Burke in "Good Gracious, Anna," for this week-end.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

Among news items of interest in the Hamlin community three decades ago were the following, reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated January 17, 1920:

Gibson Chevrolet Company advertised new Chevrolets as follows: Roadster, \$495; phaeton, \$495; sedan, \$675; and one-half ton truck, \$520.

Mrs. Trammell and daughter of San Angelo returned to their home Saturday after a pleasant visit with another daughter, Mrs. Mary Leonard. They were accompanied to San Angelo by Mrs. D. C. Carr, who will spend two weeks with relatives.

Frances Hamlin of Abilene and Lera Coussert of Anson are announcing the opening of a beauty shop this week in the Ladies' Shop building.

Annie Mae Smith of Oklahoma City is returning to that city this week after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Smith west of Hamlin.

Alice Maberry and Newman Bender were united in marriage Wednesday January 1, at Roby. It is announced this week. Mrs. Bender is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maberry of McCauley.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Taken from the early files of The Hamlin Herald are the following news briefs of a score of years ago, reprinted from the issue of January 20, 1940:

A benefit game tournament has been set for Thursday evening in the Chandler building, when forty-two, eighty-four and bridge will be played. Funds raised will go to an underprivileged children fund, according to Mrs. Frank Waggoner, chairman.

Frank M. Lawlis, high school principal, has worked a new system of classes that run for one hour instead to the former 45-minute period.

The following officers for the Farmers & Merchants National Bank were elected at the annual stockholders' meeting recently: J. W. Ezell, president; W. J. Bryant, vice president; Tate May, vice president; W. C. Russell, cashier; Lennie Greenway, assistant cashier.

TEN YEARS AGO

News briefs of interest of 10 years ago included these, taken from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated January 20, 1930:

Hamlin High School's Pled Piper cagers meet Throckmorton to decide the championship of District 6-A Friday night. On the HHS squad are Slim Hargrove, Donald Green, Joe Allen Dean, Jerry Briscoe, Billy Sutherland, Asa Goodgame, Garland Fletcher, Don Rowland, W. T. Stapler and Robert Fletcher.

Loss of more than \$20,000 was estimated when fire destroyed the McCauley gin last Thursday evening.

FIVE YEARS AGO

From The Hamlin Herald dated January 21, 1955, the following news briefs are reproduced:

The oil industry will be saluted at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet tonight (Friday) at the Junior High School gymnasium.

March of Dimes in Hamlin is headed toward its \$2,500 goal with several benefit projects planned.

The big \$500,000 addition to the Moore Grain Company elevators is fast reaching skyward.

Congressman Omar Burleson Declares U. S. Food Supply Is Finest in World

Washington.—The Department of Agriculture says that the food supply in the United States is the safest, cleanest and most wholesome in the world, declares Congressman Omar Burleson, in his weekly news release to The Herald, which continues...

Much discussion in various departments of government and in the Congress is going on, regarding the inclusion of chemicals in food production, in processing and marketing. The source of chemicals affecting food, of course, begins with fertilizers. This is followed by insecticides, antibiotics, antiseptics and preservatives. It also includes feed additives, fumigants, fungicides and others.

All of this becomes a part of our food and is essential for an efficient production on the farm. The experts say that to abandon the use of these things in the food producing industries would result in immediate decline in the quantity and quality of our food supply

and cause a rapid rise in food prices paid by consumers. Research is constantly taking place to determine how chemicals can be better and more safely used to make food supplies greater and to raise the quality. At the same time, research is constantly underway to determine the safety of these chemicals in our food supply, and to keep a watchful eye on anything which may be detrimental to the nation's health.

There is a stepped-up program of research and also a diligent effort on the part of agriculture and the Pure Food and Drug Administration, under the Department of Health, Education and Welfare, to guarantee the greatest protection.

In addition to foods, the Federal Trade Commission is stepping strongly into the picture to protect consumers against unfair and misleading advertisements of various products. Expanded and exaggerated claims in television advertising has necessitated greater activity of enforcement by the Federal Trade Commission and is an issue at the present time as to whether they have adequate authority or whether additional legislation is required.

Leslie S. Sparks Dies at Fort Worth Hospital Monday

Funeral services for Leslie S. Sparks, 67-year-old former resident of the Hamlin community, were conducted Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the First Methodist Church. The pastor, Rev. Edmund W. Robb, officiated.

Sparks, brother of Postmaster Perry Sparks, died Monday afternoon in the All Saints Hospital at Fort Worth after an illness of about a week. He had been in the hospital one day.

Born April 22, 1892, at Bosqueville, he was the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Sparks. He married the former Inez McCauley on August 20, 1930, at Hamlin.

Deceased moved to Hamlin in 1920, where he was jointly interested with his father and brother in a drug business. On account of his father's health the drug store was sold, and he engaged for a while in buying and selling cotton. He later opened a service station and grocery until about 1933, when he bought a variety store at Mathis. He made Mathis his home until 1951, when he and his daughter, who had been stricken in August, 1951. He has resided in Fort Worth since that time. He was a department manager at Monnigs, and owned a variety store which is located in a community center in Fort Worth. Sparks was a member of the Presbyterian Church.

Burial was in the Hamlin East Cemetery under the direction of Hamlin Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Roy Brown, Carl Young, J. A. Morris, Harold Bonner, John D. Ferguson and Arthur Hudson. Survivors are two daughters, Mrs. Mary Waggoner of Austin and Robbie Sparks of Fort Worth; two brothers, Rupert Sparks of San Juan and Perry S. Sparks of Hamlin; and one grandchild.

An Odds and Ends half-price sale at The Book Shop beginning today.

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NOT YOU.

Gunner—"Do you know, honey, if I had it to do all over again, who I'd marry?"
Wife—"No, who?"
Gunner—"You."
Wife—"Oh, no, you wouldn't."

their supply from other sources. Manufactured cotton goods hold the same position as the raw product to our textile plants. As is true with many other commodities, cotton goods produced in great quantity in Japan, imported into the United States, can be sold much cheaper, even after the payment of import duties.

We have experted know-how, equipment and many other forms of assistance to many foreign nations, but cannot now do very much exporting of such raw products as cotton. In addition, our cost of production from the field to the cotton shirt has become so high we are pricing ourselves out of the world market.

An Odds and Ends half-price sale at The Book Shop beginning today.

Area Young Men May Enlist for Service at New Missile Points

Captain Lenas G. Weisheit of the Abilene U. S. Army recruiting main station announced that the Army will accept young men for assignment to the Nike Hercules sites surrounding Abilene beginning January 18.

This is a wonderful opportunity for young men interested in military service, points out Weisheit. They will gain technical training, continue their education through the Army's education program, become Abilene's and West Texas' pioneer missilemen and be in the most advanced part of today's modern Army. This, plus being assigned right here at home, the captain emphasized.

The sites will be located near Abilene. Headquarters of the unit will be on the grounds of Dyess Air Force Base, with one battery at the old Fort Phantom road and the second battery south of the community of View.

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Coronation of Queens Friday Evening Highlights Homecoming at DePriest

DePriest Colored School was the center last week-end of much activity as the second homecoming attracted residents of the community as well as a number of former residents.

Festivities of the homecoming began Friday night with the queen coronation in the school auditorium. Three school queens were crowned. Elementary Queen was Elmae Mayes, Miss McCauley was Estelle Willis, and High School Queen was Geneva Hampton.

Royal court was made up of Gail Titus and Larry Davis from the first grade; Dollye Faye McPherson and Tony Washington representing the second grade; Narleen Sloan and Charles McPherson from the third grade; Barbara Kirby and Arlee Marsh from the fourth grade; Gillis Nell Paige and Robert Shelton from the fifth grade; Alice Faye Ervine and David Brown from the sixth grade; Willie Faye Kirby, who was the 1958-59 queen, was escorted by Royce Edward Bradley from the seventh grade; Sandra Covington and Jack Breedlove from the eighth grade; Johnnie Mae Thompson and James Earl Pinkard; and Lillie Ruth Titus and Daniel Webster Miller.

Queen Hampton was escorted by John Richard Davis. Flower girls were Marjorie Thompson and Alaree Coleman. Train bearers were Helen Henry and Roy Gene Sneed.

After the queen was crowned, she and her court were entertained with a program made up of musical numbers such as solos, quartets, skits and pantomimes.

Mrs. Rachel Collins, principal of the elementary school at Rotan brought five numbers to contribute to the entertainment.

Saturday night at Hamlin High School gymnasium the DePriest

Steers and Steerettes met the Big Spring Rockets. The visitors, from the school now headed by E. S. Morgan, formerly of DePriest, won both the games. Details of the games are found on the sports page of today's Herald.

Talk at Lions Club By VA Instructor Shows Farm Trend

Drastic change in the number of people on the farms of the Hamlin territory was reflected by the figures given by T. C. Blankinship at the Tuesday noon luncheon of Hamlin Lions Club at the oil mill guest house.

Of the 74 boys now enrolled in vocational agriculture at Hamlin High School only nine actually live on farms, the VA instructor declared. During his 15½ years in the VA department at Hamlin High School the trend away from the farm has been marked, but farm production and need for use of modern methods and breeding is all the more important, Blankinship said.

Blankinship said his present groups of boys had 965 broilers, 32 capons, 86 hogs, 44 beef calves, six dairy animals and three field crops as projects underway.

Hamlin's boys made a fine showing at the recent Jones County Clubs Boys' Livestock Show, he stated. They won four grand championships, three reserve championships and 14 first places at the show. Total cash prize winnings amounted to \$340.

The VA teacher showed a number of colored slides taken at the county show, pointing out good features of winning animals.

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Charter No. 12700 Reserve District No. 11 Report of Condition of the FARMERS AND MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK of Hamlin, Texas

at the close of business on December 31, 1959, published in response to call made by the Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection.....	\$1,322,143.42
United States government obligations, direct and guaranteed.....	2,098,183.85
Obligations of states and political subdivisions.....	332,611.52
Other bonds, notes and debentures.....	299,656.26
Corporate stocks (including \$6,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank).....	6,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$4,733.58 overdrafts).....	1,760,706.81
Bank premises owned.....	\$11,000.00
Furniture and fixtures.....	11,500.00
Total Assets.....	\$5,841,801.86

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations.....	\$4,615,503.69
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations.....	324,308.85
Deposits of United States government (including postal savings).....	68,634.02
Deposits of states and political subdivisions.....	411,989.80
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.).....	22,353.36
Total deposits.....	\$5,442,789.72
Total Liabilities.....	\$5,442,789.72

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital stock: Common.....	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus.....	100,000.00
Undivided profits.....	150,000.00
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock).....	49,012.14
Total capital accounts.....	399,012.14
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts.....	\$5,841,801.86

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes.....	\$1,760,706.81
Real estate loans insured under Titles II, VII and VIII of the National Housing Act.....	25,940.26
Federal Housing Administration Title I repair and modernization installment loans, to the extent covered by insurance reserves.....	37,952.05
Total amount of loans, certificates of interest and obligations, or portions thereof (listed above), which are fully backed or insured by agencies of the United States government (other than "United States government obligations, direct and guaranteed").....	\$1,824,599.12

I, Tate May, president of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.—Tate May, President.

Correct—Attest: W. T. Johnson, Earl E. Smith and Lennie Greenway, Directors.

State of Texas, County of Jones, ss: Sworn to and subscribed before me this 12th day of January, 1960, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.—J. C. Turner, Notary Public, Jones County, Texas.

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Digestible Shortening	5c off 3-lb. Can	Wapco Cut	No. 303 Cans	Scottie	No. 300 Cans
CRISCO	69c	GREEN BEANS	2 for 29c	DOG FOOD	5 for 35c
Gladiola	10-Biscuit Cans	Duncan Hines Assorted	Reg. Pkgs.	Shurline	21-oz.
BISCUITS	3 for 25c	CAKE MIXES	3 for \$1.00	WAFFLE SYRUP	\$ for \$1
Shurline	Quarters	Gladiola	25-lb. Sack	Swift's OZ	16-oz. Jar
OLEO	2 Lbs. 33c	FLOUR	\$1.65	PEANUT BUTTER	39c
Shurline	No. 303 Cans	Morton's	Quart	Assorted Color	400-Ct. Pkgs.
CORN	2 for 33c	SALAD DRESSING	35c	KLEENEX	4 for \$1.00
Shurline Natural	46-oz. Can	Comstock	No.2 Cans	Bama	20-oz. Glass
ORANGE JUICE	39c	APPLES	2 for 43c	Strawberry Preserves	45c
Shurline	No. 300 Cans	Shurline	No. 303 Cans	Shurline	Tall Cans
Blackeyed PEAS	2 for 23c	CHERRIES	2for 45c	Evaporated Milk	2 for 27c
Del Monte	32-oz. Can	Shurline	No. 303 Cans	Shurline	Quart
Pineapple-Or. Drink	25c	ENGLISH PEAS	2 for 35c	SALAD OIL	45c
Van Camp's	No. 300 Cans	Starlac	12-Qt. Size	Decker's	12-oz. Can
Pork and Beans	2 for 25c	POWDERED MILK	89c	LUNCH MEAT	39c

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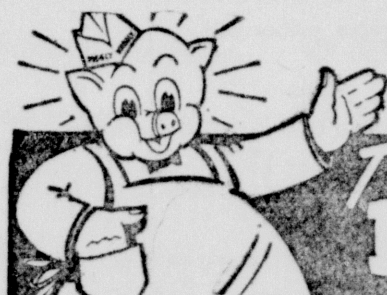
Meaty	Pound
BEEF RIBS	29c
Sweet Rasher	Pound
SLICED BACON	35c
Wisconsin	Pound
RED RIND CHEESE	49c
Swindell's Whole Hog	Roll
SAUSAGE	2 Lbs. 98c

Frozen Food Specials

Southern Sun	6-oz. Cans
Orange Juice	2 for 39c
Morton's Peach or	12-oz.
CHERRY PIES	35c
Sea Tang	10-oz. Pkg.
BREADED SHRIMP	39c
Rosita Mexican Style	12-oz.
Combination Plate	39c

PRODUCE FEATURES

Fresh, Crisp	1-lb. Pkg.
CARROTS	7c
Yellow	Pound
ONIONS	5c
No. 1 Cured	Pound
YAMS	7½c
Texas	5-lb. Bag
ORANGES	29c



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The Herald's Page for Women



Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Carlton Celebrate Sixtieth Wedding Anniversary Sunday

Sixty years of marriage for a Tuxedo community couple, east of Hamlin, were celebrated by Sunday afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Carlton, at the family home when more than 125 friends and relatives called and visited the old-timers.

Hosts for the celebration were the four sons and three daughters of the pioneer family.

Silver and blue decorations were used throughout the Carlton home. A huge wedding cake, with silver and diamond bells, centered the serving table.

Numerous gifts and cards were received by Mr. and Mrs. Carlton, and these were displayed in the bedrooms.

W. C. Carlton was born in the Wautauga community in Tarrant County on February 18, 1878. Mamie Skiles was born in Caldwell County, Missouri, on June 13, 1883. She moved with her family in her girlhood to Texas. The couple was married on January 17, 1900. They moved to this area in 1914, where they farmed for many years before their retirement several years ago.

Children and their families present for the happy celebration

Ronnie Parker Talks At Dinner Meeting of B&PW Club Tuesday

Ronnie Parker was guest speaker for the Tuesday evening dinner meeting of the Hamlin Business and Professional Women's Club at the Primary School cafeteria. Program was under the direction of the international relations committee of which Mrs. W. L. Hunter Jr. is chairman. Others on the committee are Maggie Seymore and Mrs. Bill Davis.

Ronnie, a ministerial student at McMurry College in Abilene and recently touring 10 European countries, gave an interesting and colorful account of his impressions of these nations, especially as they were related to the subject of international relations.

Guests at the meeting were Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Copeland and Levi McCollum. Mrs. C. J. Rollis, vice president of the Hamlin Woman's Forum; and Mrs. Arlie Castle, treasurer, were guests of the club.

Poll tax receipts served as place-cards, and the president, Mrs. John V. Howard Jr., urged members to exercise the right of citizenship by paying their poll tax. Mrs. Kenneth Riddle distributed posters to be placed in business houses as a reminder to "Pay Your Poll Tax."

Dolls of many nations served as appropriate decorations for the theme of international relations.

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Worthy Grand Patron Entertained in Home Of Wortham Crows

Dr. R. O. Fuqua, worthy grand patron of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star and his wife were entertained with a supper last Monday evening at 6:00 o'clock in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wortham Crow at Anson.

The table was laid with an Italian red tablecloth, centered with an arrangement of red and white gladioli, flanked by white burning candles in crystal candelabra. This same color scheme was carried out in the decoration of the reception room.

W. L. Porterfield, Anson chapter's chaplain, gave the invocation. Those who attended the supper were members and officers of Anson chapter and invited guests, namely: Dr. R. O. Fuqua and Mrs. Fuqua and their daughter, Mrs. Robert Bradbury of Abilene, who is also homemaker teacher in Hardin-Simmons University; Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Watson of Abilene (Mrs. Watson is the deputy grand matron of District 2, Section 7 of OES); Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Lewis, worthy matron and worthy patron of Anson; Mr. and Mrs. Grady Flynt, charter members of Anson chapter; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Leppard, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Calhoun, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Porterfield, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Bingham, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Kirby and Stella, Ima B. Dougherty, Mrs. G. E. Wilson, Mrs. Barney Cross, Mrs. C. O. Hunt, Mrs. W. B. Parrack, Mrs. Jessie Commons, Mrs. I. B. Ray, Mrs. Margaret Huddleston, and Mr. and Mrs. Crow, the host and hostess.

After the supper everyone went to the Masonic hall for a friendship meeting and instructions from the deputy grand matron, Mrs. Watson. Visitors were at the hall from Abilene No. 30 and River Oaks chapter, Stamford, Rotan, Haskell, Hamlin, Merkel, R-scoe and Sweetwater chapters.

Monthly social of the Beta Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority was held at the oil mill guest house Saturday evening at 7:30. Members and their husbands enjoyed a pot luck supper and later played games of bingo.

Beta Theta Group Has Pot Luck Supper

The social committee for the chapter, Mrs. Wilson Brannon, Mrs. Fred B. Moore Jr., Mrs. Billy Joe Wilson and Mrs. W. A. Hawkins, were in charge of arrangements.

Those attending the affair were Messrs. and Mrs. Fred B. Moore Jr., Garland Preston, Wilson Brannon, J. E. Harrison, E. D. Perrin, Billy Joe Wilson, W. A. Hawkins, Orville D. Roland, and Violet Vietas, a guest from Abilene.

Refreshments were served to 15 members and one guest who attended.

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THESE WOMEN!

By d'Alessio



"Oh, he's an oil man from Texas, all right . . . He works in a service station in Houston!"

Fisher County Club Women Set Workshop For Lamp Recovering

Fisher County Home Demonstration Club women have scheduled a workshop for recovering lampshades in February, announces Alice K. Kemp, agent.

Preliminary meeting will be Tuesday, January 26, at 2:30 p. m. in the agriculture building in Roby. At this meeting plans will be made for the workshop, discussing equipment and materials needed.

The workshop then will be three full days, beginning at 9:00 each morning on February 10, 11 and 12 in the agriculture building.

Shades to be covered or recovered must be the metal frames with at least six ribs connecting the top and bottom rims. The heavier type frames, with three-eighths inch band instead of a wire at the bottom is more desirable because it allows more pulling of the cover and lining without the frame giving.

Many women have these frames which can be recovered. Perhaps if you do not have one, a neighbor will, Miss Kemp points out. Frames can also be ordered if you have a lamp base but have destroyed the shade.

Any Fisher County woman, whether a club member or not, is invited to participate in the workshop.

KEEN JUDGE. "Young man," said the old man severely, "when I was your age I, too, thought I knew it all. Now I have reached the conclusion that I know very little."

"Great Scott!" exclaimed the lad in astonishment. "Has it taken you this long to find that out? Why, I knew it the minute I saw you."

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New Couples Class Of First Baptist Church Meets Thursday Eve

Twenty women of the newly organized Couples Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met Thursday evening in the home of the co-presidents, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Laminack.

Mrs. Leon Moore brought an inspiring devotional from the book, "My Spiritual Diary" by Dale Evans.

A business session followed. The president's report included the following: The average attendance of the class since October has been 20; three Bibles have been presented to new babies; \$200 was donated by members to the Lottie Moon Christmas offering; eight visits were made at a visitation held last week; four new members have been added to the class. Plans were made for further visiting.

Project for the evening was the making of Valentine tray favors for hospital patients.

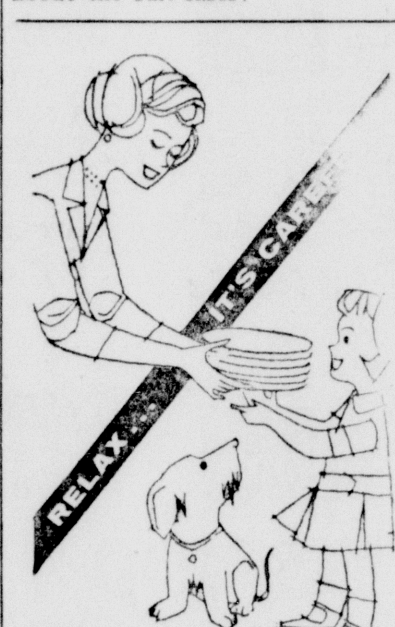
Serving of refreshments concluded the evening.

Next meeting of the group will be February 1 in the home of Mrs. Joe Ford. Mrs. Clyde Lewis will be co-hostess.

GOOD QUESTION.

A story now being told of life behind the Iron Curtain: Josef—"If the western powers attack us, our agents will carry atom bombs concealed in suitcases to Paris, London, Rome, New York and all the other big cities of the capitalist imperialists and destroy them."

Petrov—"I guess we'll have enough bombs by then, but how about the suit-cases?"



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Mrs. R. H. Cooley Feted on Birthday At Home on Sunday

Four children and several other relatives helped Mrs. R. H. Cooley, long time resident of the area, celebrate her seventy-third birthday Sunday at the family home, 138 Southwest Third Street.

Attending the happy gathering were the four children, Elvin Cooley of Abilene, Calvin Cooley and wife of Hawley, and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bagley and two children, Carolyn and Ronnie; a grandson and wife, Mr. and Mrs. David Cooley, and two children, Mich and Donna, of Tahoka; three brothers and a sister of Mr. Cooley, Mrs. Florence Calvert of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cooley and son, Burl of Tahoka, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cooley and two children, Danny and Patricia, of Hawley, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cooley and two children, Jerry and Martha, of Colorado City; and a nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kelly of Hamlin.

Mrs. Wesley Nail Is Hostess to Meeting of Xi Gamma Chapter

Last Thursday, January 14, Mrs. Wesley Nail was hostess to the Xi Gamma Phi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi.

During the business session the members voted to cooperate with Beta Theta chapter in the Easter fund drive for benefit of the West Texas Rehabilitation Center at Abilene. The president appointed the following committee for this drive: Mrs. John C. Bryant, chairman, Mrs. M. L. Smith, Mrs. Jerry Waggoner and Mrs. E. D. Perrin.

The afternoon's program on "High Moments of History and Ideals of Liberty and Justice" was presented by Mrs. Arlie Castle.

The hostess served refreshment to the following members: Meses Jim Ballard, E. D. Perrin, John C. Bryant, C. Weldon Griggs, Arlie Castle, M. L. Smith, E. J. Hawkins, Earl Smith, George Poe, Jerry Waggoner, W. T. Johnson, Holly Toler and Weldon Carlton. Next meeting of the group will be January 28 in the home of Mrs. W. T. Johnson.

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Ingenuity Can Help Keep Convalescent Child Entertained

Keeping a convalescent child in bed, quiet and happily entertained is a real problem at times. Mary Y. Newberry, Jones County home demonstration agent, offers these suggestions for keeping a youngster happy while on the mend:

Provide plenty of "just looking" activities. A gay ballet dancer on a light fixture or a window shade will catch and hold his interest. Or arrange a bulletin board near the foot of the bed. Each day add a new surprise, a new member of an imaginary family, a new animal or bird, or anything else which amuses him.

Many a child has been amused by the simple device of catching sunlight with a pocket mirror. When it begins to get dark, a miniature flashlight will bring him minutes of pleasure when he explores dark corners.

"Surprise" in a magic word to a child. Plan a simple, gayly wrapped surprise box. The gifts need not be purchased. A cookie brightly wrapped, a post-card, a picture book, a pipe cleaner doll, funny drawings, or even a paper party hat will entertain a child.

A picture puzzle can be made for a young child from a picture post-card. Cut the card into four or five irregular shapes. If the child can read, write a message on the back of it before it is cut into a puzzle.

Paper work can be fun for the child. Wrapping paper, paper bags, colored paper, paper dollies, paper plants, greeting cards, and old magazines can be used. With a pair of sharp but blunt scissors and paper the child can be kept occupied for a long time.

Remember, don't give the child too much at one time. It's tiring and confusing to the child, and extra work for you.

JUST HIS STYLE.

The superintendent's boy, Johnny, told his mother he wanted to become a preacher.

"Why, Johnny," said his mother, "that's wonderful. What made you decide that?"

Johnny shrugged. "Well, I've got to go to church all my life anyway, and I think it's harder to sit still and be quiet than to stand up and holler."

Officers for New Club Year Elected Friday By Woman's Literary

Officers for next year were elected when members of the Woman's Literary Club met in the home of Mrs. Tate May last Friday.

Officials named were: Mrs. Richard Young Jr., president; Mrs. M. T. York, first vice president; Mrs. Phil Smith, second vice president; Mrs. C. F. Cook, recording secretary; Mrs. L. W. Shivers, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Virgil Steele, parliamentarian; Mrs. John Ed Day, critic; Mrs. J. W. McCrary, musician; Mrs. Donley Williams, reporter; Mrs. Dick Maberry, librarian.

Mrs. Bowen Pope was director of the program for the day, entitled "World Affairs: Our Affairs." Mrs. Bill Shira gave an introduction to the program. Mrs. Buren Carlton talked on "Russia in Focus." Mrs. R. E. Haynes discussed the timely topic, "Is the World Going American?"

COLLECTING AT PRICE.

In a small Southern town a certain justice of the peace was very popular among the colored folks. He had just married a couple and the bridegroom made inquiry as to the fee, and the justice of the peace replied it would be a dollar. "A dollar, fudge? You mean to tell me you're gwine to charge me a dollah jes' for sayin' dem few words when I works all day jes' fo' a dollah?"

"Why yes," said the J. P. "That kiss you just got was worth that much."

"Well," said the groom as he looked at his bride a few seconds, "if yo' think so jes' help yo'self, fudge, fer the fee."

Fools please women best.—John Lyly.

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STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights by Vern Sanford TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Austin.—Nothing that has come out of state government in recent months has caused a big ruckus as the merit plan auto insurance rates.

It is possible to take either side of the question and start a lively argument on almost any street corner.

Critics have mounted a two-pronged attack: (1) To get the Board of Insurance, which authorized the plan, to change it; and (2) to get the courts to declare it unconstitutional.

Board hearing to review the plan was called at the request of Senator Grady Hazelwood of Amarillo, one of the most vocal objectors to the plan. Just before the hearing, a group of attorneys from the Harris County chapter of the Texas Association of Plaintiffs' Attorneys filed suit in an Austin district court seeking a permanent injunction against use of the plan.

Chairman Penn J. Jackson declared the board would listen to all protests with an open mind. Most insurance rates, he said, are subject to frequent change. However, Jackson emphasized that the board is directed by law to consider safety incentives and driving records, past and prospective, in its rate making.

Under the merit plan, drivers with no accidents or moving traffic convictions on their records for the past three years would get lower rates. Compensating for this would be a sliding scale of higher rates to be paid by others according to the number and seriousness of the marks against them.

Loudest gripe is about the retroactive feature of the plan and the fact that any moving traffic violation, no matter how minor, counts against the motorist.

Because it does go back three years in effect, the plan is being labeled an "ex post facto law" (law against something that happened in the past) which is unconstitutional.

Some motorists complain that in the past they have paid fines on tickets when they were not actually at fault—just to avoid the trouble of going to court.

Senator Hazelwood derided the idea of putting all violators in the same class—"those that go 23 miles an hour in a 20-mile zone and those that go 100 miles an hour." He charged, too, that much ticket giving is merely a money raising proposition. Residents of cities where traffic is strictly policed and all accidents and violations faithfully reported to the Department of Public Safety will get it in the neck, said the senator. Small towns are gener-

ally less diligent in policing or reporting violators tot DPS. Hazelwood said he was and still is in favor of a "realistic" merit rating plan.

Defenders of the present plan say that, if law enforcement is at fault, this, not the insurance plan, should be worked on.

With all the fussing and fuming, say opponents, it must be admitted that motorists are now giving more thought to careful driving than ever before. A traffic ticket costing \$60 is a sobering thought.

Teacher Session Urged.—Texas teachers still hope to get a salary raise in a special session of the Legislature this year.

Leaders of public school teachers' organizations say they believe Governor Price Daniel will call a session after February 1.

Teachers want to see the matter come up at a special session rather than at the next regular session in 1961. In a regular session, they would face again the same obstacles they faced in 1959, the necessity of taking care of regular money needs probably including a deficit, before any new appropriations will be considered.

Faculty Raises Proposed.—Commission on Higher Education recommends the Legislature raise salaries for state college professors by 12 per cent for 1962 and 18 per cent for 1963.

During its last session the Legislature cut the commission's requested college budget by seven per cent.

Commission has agreed to hear the University of Houston's request for inclusion in the state college system at its April meeting.

Banking Authority Spelled Out.—Savings and loan associations may not open branches without approval of the State Banking Commission.

State Supreme Court issued this opinion in an eight-to-one decision on a case in which a Houston savings and loan association had challenged the commission's right to pass on a proposed branch. Savings and loan associations, like banks, are chartered by the banking commission.

Court said this regulation was necessary to prevent "excessively zealous competition through control of building and loan associations in an area."

Dissenting judge said there is nothing in the law to give the commission this power.

Reservoir Plans Assailed.—City of Fort Worth has joined the San Jacinto River Authority in pro-

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testing plans to build a Trinity River dam near Houston.

An engineer representing Fort Worth told the State Water Board he felt Fort Worth's future water rights would be impaired if Houston and the Trinity River Authority build a reservoir near Livingston and take out 1,200,000 gallons a day, as requested. To protect needs of Upper Trinity Basin users it was suggested the Livingston project be cut in half.

A spokesman for the San Jacinto River Authority said he felt the Trinity should not be developed for Houston use because it is polluted with Dallas and Fort Worth sewage.

Short Snorts.—Senator Culp Krueger of El Campo has been named chairman of the Radiation Study Committee created by the Legislature to consider state regulations and safety measures for the peacetime use of atomic energy. . . . Public school administrators meeting in Austin discussed the prospect of requiring 20 credits for high school graduation rather than the present 16. Some superintendents reported their schools are already requiring more than 16, not including the "easier" subjects such as physical education, music and health. . . . Governor Price Daniel has appointed Jack Woodward of Dallas to the Commission on High-

er Education for a term ending in March, 1965. Other executive appointments: V. P. Ringer of Houston and William J. Elliott of El Paso to the Texas Real Estate Commission, and Dr. Louis T. Bogy of San Antonio and Dr. A. V. Johnson of Midland to the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners. . . . State Hospital Board has voted to sell 306 acres from the Kerrville State Hospital grounds and 80 to 90 acres from the San Antonio State Hospital. Preliminary plans were approved for buildings and improvements at the Denton State School, Austin State Hospital, Rusk State Hospital, Mexia State School and Wichita Falls State Hospital.

FOR BETTER RESULTS.—Absence makes the heart grow fonder, but presents bring better results.—Exchange.

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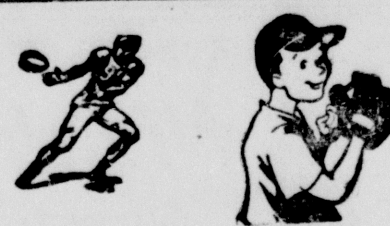
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Pied Pipers Drop Anson from Loop Lead with 46-35 Score

Clever Playing In Last Half Gives Loopsters Game

Before the largest crowd ever to attend basketball games in the Anson High School gymnasium the Hamlin High School Pied Pipers defeated the Anson Tigers 46 to 35 Tuesday night and went into a tie for top spot with Stamford in the District 6-AA basketball race.

The victory gave the Pied Pipers, favorites in the loop competition this year, a season record of 15 wins and four losses.

The game was a hard fought one all the way, however. Score at the end of the first quarter was 13 to 13 and Anson held a 26 to 23 lead at the half. Then Coach Neil Laminack threw his charges into a series of stalls to pull the Tigers out of their end of the court and began to count. The third quarter ended with a 36 to 30 count in Hamlin's favor.

David Wade was high pointer for the evening with 15 marks. Cecil Robinson, who had four personal fouls called on him in the first half and was pulled for the third period, made 10 marks, and Jerald McCaulley looped 11 points.

DISTRICT 6-AA STANDINGS

Shape of things in the District 6-AA basketball race began to congeal this week after all five of the loop members had played at least two conference games. After grabbing an early lead by taking two straight games, Anson was toppled from the top spot Tuesday night when the Hamlin lads bopped the Tigers. Standings after Tuesday night's games looked like this:

Team	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Hamlin	2	2	0	1.000
Stamford	2	2	0	1.000
Anson	3	2	1	.666
Haskell	2	0	2	.000
Seymour	3	0	3	.000

Junior High Cagers to Play Anson Monday

Hamlin Junior High School's basketball teams will play host to the Anson Cubs on the local junior high courts next Monday evening. Three games will be played, with the seventh grade boys' tilt at 6:00, eighth grade girls at 7:00, and eighth grade boys at 8:00.

for Hamlin. High scorer for Anson was White with 12, while 11 tallies were made by Barth.

Morgan's Cagers Defeat DePriest Teams Saturday

Basketballers from Big Spring Colored High School, of which E. S. Morgan, formerly of Hamlin, is principal, lived up to their label, Rockets, when they took both ends of a double bill from the DePriest Steers and Steerettes Saturday night in Hamlin High School gymnasium. The two games climaxed the week-end homecoming celebration of DePriest School.

Big Spring girls breezed by the DePriest Steerettes in the opening tilt by a count of 23 to 8.

The boys' game was a rough-and-tumble affair, with the Big Spring crew holding the long end of a 42 to 33 score at the final whistle. Fred Thompson was top scorer for the Steers, and James Earl Pinkard was second high.

The DePriest boys and girls, although they lost both games, were quite thrilled to get to play Morgan's well trained teams. They expect to play return games at Big Spring on February 12, accordingly to DePriest Principal J. I. Starr.

Basketball Coaches Express Gratitude for Fine Support of Fans

Head Basketball Coaches Neil Laminack and Ed Farmer of Hamlin High School this week asked The Herald to public express their sincere appreciation for the fine support by fans of the community of their cage teams so far this season.

The coaches especially appreciated the fine turn-out Tuesday night at Anson, when the largest crowd ever to attend basketball games there was present, according to Anson school officials. Two-thirds of the fans were from Hamlin, the coaches noted.

Another record crowd, say the coaches, is expected tomorrow (Friday) night HHS gym when the Stamford crews invade that sacred spot.

Winters Girl Win Both Ends of Double Bill With Hamlin Friday

Winters High School girl cagers came to town Friday night for two tilts with the Hamlin Piperettes—and left with two scalps dangling from their belts.

After trailing most of the game, even into the fourth quarter, the girl Blizzards staged a rally that wound up the game with them on the long end of a 34 to 28 score. It was a non-district melee. Jean Jenkins was high pointer for Hamlin with 22, while Fabian was top scorer for Winters with 14 marks.

Winters freshman girls also won their fracas by a 29 to 13 count. Billye Blankinship topped Hamlin scoring with 15 tallies, while high scorer for Winters was Shepard with seven.

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Junior High Girls Win, Both Boys' Teams Lose In Games at Merkel

Hamlin Junior High School girls won their second basketball game in conference play Monday night to remain unbeaten. They defeated Merkel 21 to 13 after getting off to a slow first period.

Playing for Hamlin were Barbara Lakey, Cheryl Brown, Phyllis Scarborough, Pamela Smith, Diane Bond, Anna Adams and Judy Fitzgerald. Marsha Goodgame, Jean Wells, Karon Knabel and Kay McCoy.

Eighth grade boys dropped their game 22 to 18 to the Merkel crew. Hamlin boys failed to tally in the first period but came back to make a game out of it in the second half. Outstanding players for Hamlin were Cleon Warner, Jaylon Fincannon and Cecil Price.

Seventh grade boys dropped their second straight game as they bowed to Merkel by a 16 to 11 score. No Hamlin player made more than three points.

DePriest Boys Meet Anson in Meet Finals

DePriest High School boys basketball crew will go to Anson tomorrow (Friday) night to play the championship game of the cage tournament held in Anson last Saturday. Time ran out in the tourney before the final game could be played.

After drawing a bye in the first round, the Steers drew Munday for a second round opponent, this being seven times this year for the two teams to meet. Munday had won the six previous games, but the Steers managed to hold the edge in a 48 to 37 score over Munday to reach the finals.

Stamford-Hamlin Tilt Friday Night to Be Hot

Major showdown of the current District 6-AA basketball race will come for the Hamlin Pied Pipers tomorrow (Friday) night when the threatening Stamford Bulldogs come to town. The two teams now are sharing the district loop lead.

B teams of the two rival towns will open the play of the evening at 6:30 o'clock, and the A squads will meet immediately following. A record attendance is expected to witness the games in the HHS gymnasium.

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FEATURED NAMES AT SPORTS BANQUET—All Southwest Conference Guard Maurice Duke (center) of Wichita Falls helps hold the George (Hook) McCullough Most Valuable Player Trophy presented to him at the twenty-fifth annual athletic banquet at the University of Texas in Austin. Helping hold the trophy is Duffy Dougherty (left), head football coach, and Blackie Sherrod, executive sports editor at Michigan State, who was the featured speaker at the Dallas Times Herald, master of ceremonies at the affair.

Hamlin and Stamford Share District Lead in Basketball Race Till Friday

With two conference victories and no losses each, Hamlin High School's Pied Pipers and Stamford High School's Bulldogs first of this week shared the District 6-AA loop lead following games played Tuesday night.

Anson's Tigers were toppled from a three-way tie for the lead Tuesday night when the Pipers lambasted the county seat boys by a 46 to 35 count. Anson previously had won two straight conference battles.

Anson last week defeated Haskell's Indians 51 to 30 and Seymour's Panthers 36 to 30 to take the loop top spot with two victories. In other action last week Hamlin had downed Seymour 51 to 31 in their first district bout last Tuesday night. Stamford on Tuesday had pasted Haskell 50 to 43.

Last Friday night in the two games of the five-member loop Stamford defeated Haskell 50 to

43 to flex their muscles on the Haskell gymnasium. Wayne Bates was high pointer for Stamford with 14 points, and Cotton Thompson and Duane Lindsey made 13 marks each. High pointers for the Indians were Fred Brown and Gary Anthony with 11 marks each.

In Friday night's defeat of Seymour by Anson to the tune of 36 to 20, Mike Blackmon was lead scorer for Anson with 10, and Glenn Gleghorn led the way for Seymour with nine. Anson was ahead 27 to 8 at the half, and Seymour scored 22 points to Anson's nine during the last half, but was unable to overcome the Tigers' big lead.

In Tuesday night's two games of this week Stamford trimmed the Seymour lads 52 to 44 in a tilt played at Stamford. Cotton Thompson was high pointer for the Bulldogs with 16, while Bobby Battles led the Panthers with 10 marks.

Anson B Cagers Come From Behind to Beat Hamlin Boys 44 to 36

Hamlin High School's B cage team, which had picked up steam with the addition of Mac Cade, six-foot-seven looper from Fort Worth's North Side, fell victim Tuesday night to the Anson B squad by a 44 to 36 count in the Anson court.

The loss, however, left the second string Pied Pipers with an eight won, three lost record for the season.

Hamlin was ahead at the half 22 to 17, but the Anson defense tightened and the Junior Tigers went ahead to take the tilt.

Cade was high pointer for Hamlin with 15. Anson's Gib Mayfield led the Anson crew with 13 marks.

Trent Teams Defeat McCaulley Twice

Trent defeated McCaulley 55 to 33 in a District 15-B basketball game Friday night played on the McCaulley gymnasium courts. Urban Bright was leading scorer for Trent with 19. Melvin Green and Bobby Kiser, with nine points each, were top counters for the Eagles.

In the girls' game, Trent also was the winner by a 61 to 38 margin. Sarah Payne led the Trent girls with 32 points, followed by Syra Swinney with 20. High pointer for McCaulley girls was Jane Decker with 22.

McCaulley, Highland Split Double Billing

Darrel Petty ran wild last Tuesday night and dropped 23 points through the basket to lead the Highland cagers to a 64 to 39 victory over the McCaulley crew in a District 15-B basketball game played at Highland. Jimmy Jeffrey was high pointer for the McCaulley group.

McCaulley girls took their end of the two-game program by a 54 to 42 score. Marry Current's 30 points topped the scoring for McCaulley, and Ada McAnear was high pointer for Highland.

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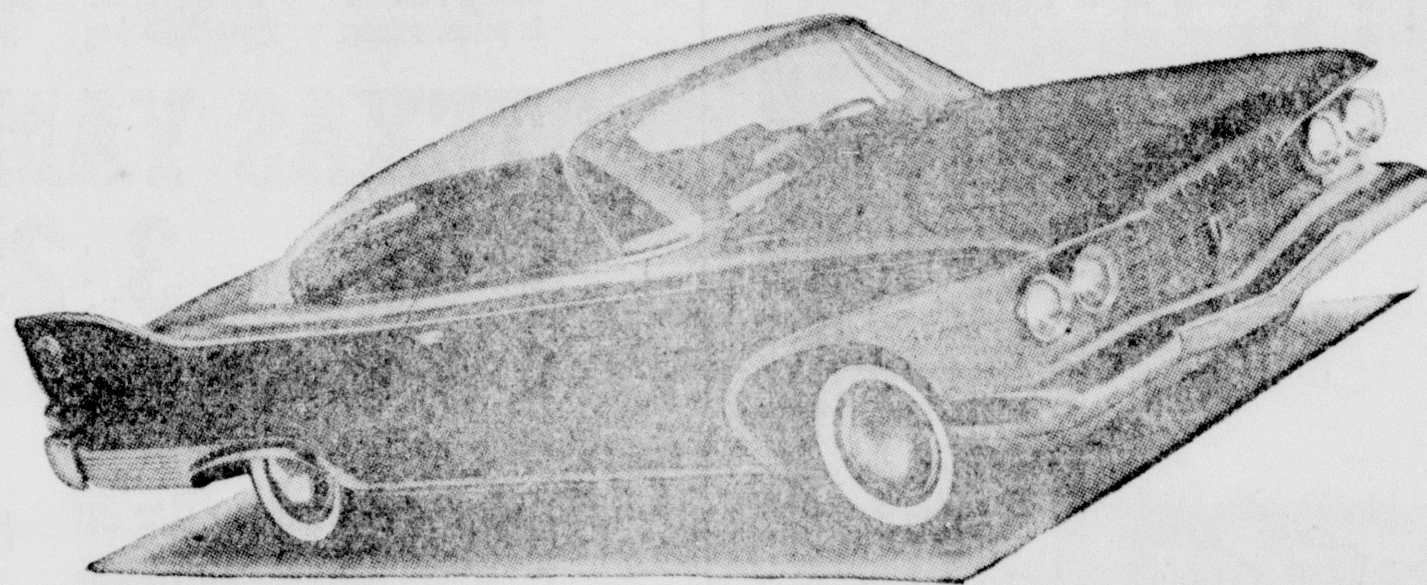
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A program of couple dancing will be conducted from 7:00 to 8:00 and square dancing will continue from 8:00 to 12:00 midnight. Music for the festivities will be provided by the Cisco Band.

Principals in the gathering, besides the Witts, are Mr. and Mrs. W. E. May of Anson, Owen Renfro of Abilene, Jack Chaney of Abilene, Bart Westfall of Barnhart, Glen Talbot of Sweetwater, May and Christine Havins, Ralph McMullen of Abilene, Grace Cope of Colorado, Rusty Randall of Big Spring, Ned White of Snyder, Ella Pope and Mary Barrella of San Angelo, Jack Pomby of Sweetwater, Harvey Blakeway of San Angelo, Billie Jack Ray of Haskell, Kenneth Wood of Snyder, Opal Renfro of Abilene, Bill Adams of Dyess Air Force Base, Jimmy Felts of Vincent, Beryl Workman of Midland and Cecil C. Rockwell Jr. of Austin.

The dance sessions Saturday night will follow a clinical program Saturday afternoon from 2:30 till 5:30, at which Emory May will be master of ceremonies.

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Many Taxpayers Use Simplified Form 1040 For Making Returns

"Treasury records show that one out of every four taxpayers use the simplified income tax Form 1040-A," says Arthur E. Fogle, administrative officer of Internal Revenue Service at Abilene, in a release to The Herald.

Revenue's midget (size of an average bank check) tax form may be used by individuals with total income of less than \$10,000 consisting of wages reported on Form W-2 and not more than \$200 in dividends, interest and wages not subject to withholding.

Husband and wife may file a joint 1040-A return for 1959, if their combined income does not exceed the stated limits.

"Taxpayers using Form 1040-A automatically claim the standard 10 per cent deduction allowed for such personal expenses as contributions, interest payments, medical expenses and such. Taxpayers with allowable deductions for these items in excess of 10 per cent of their income for 1959 must use the standard Form 1040, if they wish to claim them," Fogle explained.

Taxpayers with incomes under \$5,000 may figure their own tax, or have IRS do the chore. Taxpayers with incomes of \$5,000 or more must figure their own tax.

WHY, OF COURSE.

At a college examination a professor asked: "Does the question embarrass you?"

"Not at all, sir," replied the student; "not at all. It is quite clear. It is the answer that is bothering me."



SAMPLERS—Texans sample a Texas product, sesame chips, on Capitol Hill. Left to right are: Representative Wright Patman, Representative Frank Icard, Robert West, Honey Grove, Texas, businessman; and Walter W. Bassano, publisher of The Paris News. Bassano wears a Johnson-for-President button on his coat lapel.

U. S. Senator Johnson Says Country Faces Vital Issues for Nation and World

These last few days have been busy days, notes U. S. Senator Lyndon B. Johnson, in his weekly news release to The Herald. He continues: They have been long days and the hours have been short. At this time of year I always wish there were more than 24 hours in a day but I've enjoyed every hour that's gone by.

I wish each of you could have been here at Washington to witness these last few days. It would have been a good demonstration in the operation of our government.

The second session of the eighty-sixth Congress opened last Wednesday.

This will be a crucial session because under any circumstances, this will be the last under President Eisenhower's administration.

This session faces complex domestic and international situations in critical times.

The eyes of the world are upon this Congress. Our enemies, the Communists, are working overtime to prove to the world that the American system of government does not work.

If these Godless enemies prayed they would beseech the Almighty to foment turmoil within the government of our nation.

Their New Year's wish would be symbolized in a hope for conflict within our nation's leadership.

I propose to do all within my power to thwart their hopes... to crush their evil desires, and to prove to the world that the Communists are wrong and our democratic system of government is right.

This can be done. But to achieve this goal, we must recognize there are always tensions in the final year of any administration. We would be fool-

ish to close our eyes to this historical fact.

However, there is an equally important fact we should always remember: The men whose genius devised our system of government did not seek to do away with tensions. Their objective was to create a government that could operate despite the tensions—and still preserve the basic freedoms of America.

I am confident—totally confident—of the future because of our record of the past.

As Americans we have all lived under a divided government since January, 1955. As a result, the congressional majority has demonstrated forbearance and understanding to prevent this situation from becoming a barrier in the roadway of progress.

I am confident the solid list of achievements engraved on the record of preceding congressional sessions will mark the record of this session.

Our guide-lines are basic. They come from the heart as well as the mind.

This Congress must be one which will seek the best always and do the possible. This Congress must: Provide the necessary strength to defend America.

Appropriate money in such a way as to handle the taxpayer's shrinking dollar prudently, efficiently and economically.

Face up to the domestic problems of our times.

Advance the position of the United States in the race for outer space.

Strengthen America's position as the leader of the free world.

I have no delusions that this road will be smooth. It won't be. There will be times, I know, that will be difficult. The burden of decision, upon all Americans as well as the Congress, will at times be heavy.

But I have no fear of the future. I welcome the problems with the same eagerness with which we shall seek—and find—their solutions.

The second session of the eighty-sixth Congress began four days ago. As always, it opened with a prayer.

I know that Americans—then and now—share in that prayer that the Congress will be worthy of its responsibility. Bolstered by your prayers and strengthened by your confidence, I know that it will be.

NO CHARGE THERE.

"Since you have broken your engagement to Tom because your feelings toward him aren't the same, are you going to return his ring?"

"No, my feelings toward the ring are still the same as ever!"

An Odds and Ends half-price sale at The Book Shop beginning today.

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We have three used Westinghouse refrigerators in good operating condition—

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Jesse Lee Flowers Dies Tuesday in Hamlin Hospital

Death came quietly Tuesday afternoon in the Hamlin Memorial Hospital to Jesse Lee Flowers, 71-year-old father of four Hamlin people, owing a heart attack. He had been ill for about two years, but had been a patient in the hospital only one day.

Born July 31, 1889, in Erath County, he was the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Flowers. He married the former Jennie Ellen Wheeler on April 10, 1914, in Coleman County. The couple farmed in Central West Texas for many years, moving to Hamlin about three years ago from Sagerton. He was a member of the Sunset Baptist Church.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock at the North Central Avenue Baptist Church. Officiating was Rev. James Williams of Abilene.

Burial was in the Hamlin East Cemetery under the direction of Hamlin Funeral Home. Pallbearers were D. D. Donham, Eddie Bowen, Ray Huling, Troy Berry, Howard Tweedle, Aubrey Berry, Jack Benningfield and Clayton Dillard.

Survivors include the widow, Mrs. Jennie Flowers; two sons, Sidney Flowers of Anson and Jesse Lee Flowers Jr. of Hamlin; four daughters, Mrs. Nick (Blanche) Ray of Anson, Mrs. W. Z. (Stella) Ingram of Hamlin, Mrs. Raymond Spaulding of Hamlin and Mrs. Joe K. (Norene) Castle of Hamlin; two brothers, Ed Flowers and Eugene Flowers of Cross Plains; four sisters, Mrs. Pearl Tabor of Brownwood, Mrs. Rachel Meador of Brownwood, Mrs. Minnie Wheeler of Odessa and Mrs. Alice Irvin of Rising Star; 22 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Hamlin People Go to Sallie Young Funeral

Hamlin community relatives were in Dallas last Friday to be at the funeral services of Mrs. Sallie L. Young, 77-year-old mother of Carl Young.

Mrs. Young succumbed last Wednesday in Dallas after a long illness. Funeral services were at Dallas, and burial was in the Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

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Hamlin Funeral Home

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Foster, Owners



PROMOTED—Alex Caldwell has been promoted to the administrator of the Agriculture Department's Commodity Exchange Authority. Caldwell succeeds Rodger Kaufman, who retired. Caldwell is a native of Ennis.

Motorists of Hamlin Area to Try Economy Of Plymouth for 1960

Motorists of the Hamlin area will have first hand opportunity to test the gasoline economy of the 1960 Plymouths today and tomorrow (Thursday and Friday). The tests, being held by Prewitt Motors, Chrysler-Plymouth dealer, will be conducted from the agency on Southeast First Street, from 9:00 a. m. till 5:00 p. m. each of the two days, according to Gene Prewitt, owner.

Awards will be given to the three drivers getting the most mileage from one-tenth gallon of gasoline. First award will be a \$25 savings bond. Second prize will be a \$15 car wash, lubrication, wax and polish job, and third award a \$5.95 wash, lubrication and oil change.

Eat, drink and be merry. Tomorrow you may lose your credit card.

Committeemen for Camp Fire Council Named by Croan

Members of the Camp Fire Girls Council of the Hamlin community met in regular meeting session last Tuesday evening at the hut. Eight board members were present.

President Ed Croan presided, and named his committees for the ensuing year as follows: Wesley Nail, organization chairman; Mrs. Arlie Cassle, Mrs. James Josey and Mrs. Irma Wallace, program, awards and social; E. G. Holzman and Orville D. Roland, camp and grounds; Mrs. Fred Vaughan, public relations; Orville D. Roland, adult membership; Mrs. Louie Cunningham, Mrs. Gerald Young and Mrs. Bill Feagan, nominations; Gerald Young and J. C. Turner, finance; Mrs. Jack Wicker and Mrs. Wilson Brannon, training; Mrs. Wesley Nail, regional representative; Bill Harbert, outstanding committee; and Mrs. Ernest Jenkins, registrar.

It was voted to hold the annual candy sale February 5 to 15. Two awards will be given to the two girls selling the most candy. One girl from the Bluebird organization will receive a campership, and a girl from the Camp Fire group. The camperships will be good for a one-week stay at summer camp. The Carl Greens are painting the interior of the hut, and the paint is being donated, it was noted at the meeting.

Political Office Announcements

The Hamlin Herald is authorized to announce the following as candidates for office, subject to the action of the Democratic primary on Saturday, May 7:

For Tax Assessor-Collector: L. B. McNEIL
LARRY L. HOLMES
A. J. FRENCH
For Commissioner, Precinct 1: JOHNIE AGNEW

INCOME TAX FILING TIME IS HERE AGAIN!

Come in and let's get started on that Income Tax Return for 1959. Forms are now available, and I can complete the return and have it ready for you to mail in a few days. As a Tax Consultant, with 30 years' experience, I can save you both time and worry—and perhaps some tax money.

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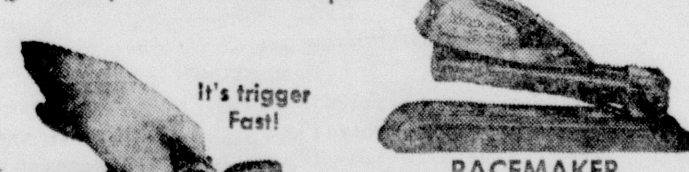
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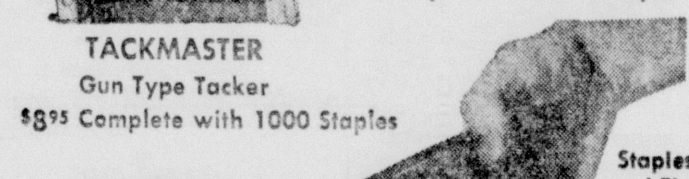
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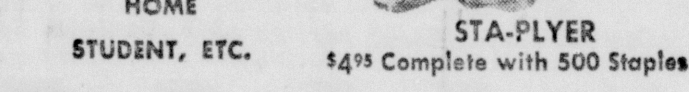
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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

YOUR 1959 TAXES MUST BE PAID BEFORE JANUARY 31 TO AVOID PENALTY!

JANUARY 31ST IS ALSO THE LAST DAY TO PAY YOUR POLL TAX.

Every person who will reach the age of twenty-one years after the first day of January, 1959, and before the day of a following election—shall be entitled to vote at said election and it shall not be necessary that said person shall have paid his poll tax but should obtain an exemption certificate. But if they become 21 before January 1, 1959, they must pay poll tax before they can vote.

Those who were 60 years of age BEFORE JANUARY 1, 1959, are entitled to vote without an exemption certificate.

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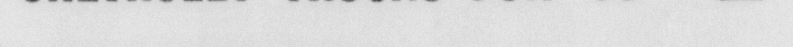
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Jones County

WORTH MORE BECAUSE THEY WORK MORE

Chevy's new torsion springs and Sturdi-Bilt design are changing everybody's ideas about how much work a truck can do. Last year's schedules are out—Chevrolet trucks ride faster over the rough runs to get in more trips a day! Big repair bills are no longer a problem—Chevrolet trucks soak up punishment that means downtime to other makes! And trade-in time's put off for extra thousands of miles—'60 Chevrolet trucks stay new like never before!



CHEVROLET TRUCKS FOR '60



New Dollar-Saving Prices
Step-Vans, 4-Wheel Drives, many light-duty models with automatic transmissions—all are lower priced. Prices have also been reduced on all optional V8's.

New Torsion-Spring Suspension
Eliminates I-beam shimmy and wheel fight! With torsion springs up front there's a brand-new, smoother, easier handling feel behind the wheel. New rear suspensions include wide-based coil springs in most light-duty models; tougher variable-rate leaf springs in medium- and heavy-duty models.

Electronically Balanced Wheels
Front wheels and tires are balanced at the factory. Helps make that new ride revolutionary!

New Cabs—Wider, Safer, More Comfortable
Many models are a whole 7 inches lower (without sacrificing road clearance), so it's easier to hop in and out of cabs. Still there's more space inside; more room for hats and hips, more foot room with suspended pedals. Cabs are safer, too; new build makes them 67% more rigid.

Plus Improvements All Through the Line
A new steering linkage system that cuts vibration, means better control. There's new V8 efficiency. Sizes long famous for saving. New key-turn starting. Higher, wider visibility. Talk to your Chevrolet dealer about the world's most advanced trucks.

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HAMLIN

Net Sales of Celotex Corporation Hit All-Time High in 1959, Report Shows

Net sales of the Celotex Corporation climbed to \$76,242,172 for the fiscal year ended October 31, 1959, up 12 1/2 per cent from \$67,226,783 in fiscal 1958 and the second highest in the company's history, according to the release from the Chicago headquarters to The Herald.

Production of the Hamlin Celotex plant was included in the total.

Earnings after taxes were \$4,131,905, or \$3.76 per common share, on 1,028,651 shares outstanding at year end, according to Henry W. Collins, president. This represented an increase of 32 per cent over the \$3,127,512 earned in per common share on the same basis in 1958 were \$2.79.

Reporting to shareholders on results achieved during fiscal 1959, Collins said the company had felt "effects of some business dislocation which stemmed principally from the steel strike" during the fall of 1959. These effects have continued during the early months of the new fiscal year, he said, and in addition, the tightening of

the mortgage money market indicates a drop in new home construction.

"On the other hand, we expect a high rate of non-residential building construction," the Celotex executive said, adding that the company believes also that the repair, remodeling and "do-it-yourself" markets will continue to expand.

"We presently anticipate no relaxation of competitive conditions and recognize the necessity of continuing to intensify our efforts to increase our share of the market. The Celotex line of products is continually being improved and enlarged. We are optimistic for the future and confidently expect to maintain the strong position we have long held in the building industry."

Celotex's expenditures for property, plant and equipment totalled approximately \$6,400,000 during the year, the majority of which was invested in a new fiber-board plant at L'Anse, Michigan. First shipments from the new board plant, which is now in its final stages of construction and break-in, are expected to be made early in 1960.

Capital expenditures for 1960 are estimated at about \$5,000,000, Collins stated.

Net earnings of Celotex Limited, English subsidiary (not consolidated) were \$433,380 for the fiscal year ended October 31, compared with \$350,090 for the preceding year, converted at the rate of \$2.60 to the pound sterling. Celotex received dividends of \$51,011 from Celotex Limited.

Net income after taxes from the South Coast Corporation, a Celotex affiliate company, for its fiscal year ended July 31, was \$799,532 compared with \$528,070 in the preceding year. South Coast paid dividends of 50 cents per share for the year and Celotex received dividend payments totalling \$101,400.

Celotex owns 205,328 shares, or 48.3 per cent, of South Coast common stock and \$1,577,260 face value, or 83 per cent, of its five per cent subordinated cumulative income debentures.

Disabled Veterans And Survivors Urged To File Income Cards

Disabled veterans, and widows and children of deceased veterans who receive monthly non service connected pension from the Veterans Administration were urged this week to return promptly the properly filled-in tabulating card which has been sent them for use in reporting their annual income.

Cards have been sent to 878,000 veterans and 526,000 dependents. At the same time, VA pointed out that the income questionnaire has nothing to do with the new pension law which goes into effect July 1, 1960. All pension recipients will receive further information on the new law in the mail during March. They were urged not to inquire about their status until they have studied this information.

An Odds and Ends half-price sale at The Book Shop beginning today.



LET'S PUT IT HERE—this group of seventh grade Camp Fire Girls was part of a 60-girl program of tree planting in the Hamlin community last week-end on Arbor Day, sponsored by the Hamlin Garden Club. They are placing one of several trees planted on the Hamlin Memorial Hospital grounds. Girls pictured are Jeannette Green, Christy Wallace, Mary Margaret Turner, Marolyn Reynolds and Linda Hallmark. Women are Mrs. Joe League, president, and Mrs. Ed Bailey, representing the Garden Club.

HAMLIN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Patients admitted to the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald have included: Mrs. F. M. Perry of Aspermont, medical, January 9; W. Z. Rutheford of Aspermont, medical, January 9; Mrs. H. T. Ward of Aspermont, medical, January 9; Mrs. Jeff Ellis of Aspermont, medical, January 10; Kathy Graham of Abilene, medical, January 10; Robert Putnam, medical, January 10; Mrs. Irvin Smith, medical, January 10; Mrs. W. B. Brown of Sylvester, medical, January 11; Sammy Ferguson, medical, January 11; Mrs. Van Graham of Abilene, medical, January 11; Mrs. W. H. Johnson, medical, January 11; Mrs. Joe Hughes, medical, January 11; George Kirkland, medical, January 11; W. A. Morgan of Peacock, medical, January 11; Mrs. J. W. Stapler, medical, January 11; Mrs. J. A. Traugher, ob., January 11; Mrs. Bobby Joe Craft, medical, January 12; Mrs. H. J. Moore of Stamford, ob., January 12; Villa Rountree, medical, January 12; Carl Prewitt of Stamford, medical, January 13; Mrs. J. T. Johnson, medical, January 13; Ernest Ritchie of Sylvester, January 13; Mrs. C. B. Rowland, medical, January 13; Mrs. Jack samford of Peacock, medical, January 13; Mrs. A. Spencer, medical, January 13; Mrs. S. C. Adair, medical, January 14; Russell Cary, medical, January 14; Miller Harmon, medical, January 14; Becky Hatmon, medical, January 14; Mrs. C. O. Walker of Jayton, medical, January 14; Charlene Harris of Aspermont, surgical, January 15; Mrs. Harold Lee, medical, January 15; Randy Scarber, surgical, January 15; Norman Page of Aspermont, medical, January 15.

Dr. Hambrick Leader For Optometrist Meet

Dr. W. C. Hambrick, optometrist of Hamlin and Abilene, was chairman of arrangements for a post-graduate study conference for optometrists of the West Central Texas Optometric Society, held at the Holiday Inn in Abilene Tuesday evening.

Featured speaker at the conference was Dr. Edmund F. Richardson of Hollywood, California. Dr. Richardson stressed the responsibility of the optometric vision specialist in helping to cut the nation's steadily increasing rate of traffic fatalities.

Freight Carloadings For Santa Fe Decline

Freight carloadings for the Santa Fe Railway System for the week ending January 9, 1960, were 18,039 compared with 20,563 for the same week a year ago, reflecting a sizeable decline. Cars received from connections totaled 8,735 compared with 9,116 for the same week a year ago.

Total cars moved were 27,777 compared with 29,679 for the same week a year ago. Santa Fe handled a total of 27,628 cars in the preceding week of this year.

Patients Dismissed—Mrs. Wallace Walton, January 15; Clyde Boydston, January 16; Mrs. Ira Green, January 11; R. B. Hartwell, January 12; Mrs. L. M. Sutherland, January 12; Ronnie Bates, January 13; Jerry Penrod, January 13; Mrs. R. B. Spencer, January 13; C. C. Williams, January 11; Mrs. Eldon Collom, January 12; Mrs. A. M. Redding, January 16; Mrs. Melvin Thompson, January 12; Mrs. F. M. Perry of Aspermont, January 12; Kathy Graham of Abilene, January 15;

VETERAN QUESTIONS

The questions and answers below about veteran problems are carried as a service to present and former service connected personnel by The Herald. Material for this column is supplied by the area office of the Veterans Administration at Lubbock.

Question.—I am a Korea veteran, holding GI term insurance. I understand by a recent law I can convert it to a permanent plan. Is this so?

Answer.—Yes. If your policy has the letters "RS" before the policy number, you may convert to any one of six VA permanent plans. You are also eligible to exchange your policy for a lower priced term policy.

Q.—Is it possible for a disabled "peace-time" veteran to draw VA compensation at war-time rates?

A.—Yes, if the disability resulted from extra hazardous service, as, for example, participation in simulated warfare, the veteran may be eligible for compensation at war-time rates.

Q.—Is there a deadline for filing a claim for disability compensation with VA?

A.—There is no deadline. A veteran may apply any time. However, an eligible veteran applying within a year from the date of his release from service may have his payment back-dated to the day following his release from service. A veteran who applies after he has been out of service one year may be paid only from the date his application was filed.

Q.—Can a disabled Korea veteran getting military retired pay receive vocational rehabilitation training from VA?

A.—Yes. Receipt of military retired pay does not affect the eligibility of a Korea veteran with a service connected disability to take vocational rehabilitation training. He must, however, need the training to overcome his handicap; his discharge must have been under conditions other than dishonorable; and his disability must be such as would entitle him to VA compensation if he were not receiving military retired pay.

JUST THE PLACE.

Mistress —"Good gracious, Annie, what's all this mess in the oven?"

Maid—"I dropped the candles in the water, ma'am, so I put them into the oven to dry."

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FEMALE AILMENTS—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound (Liquid) also brings blessed relief from discomforts of change-of-life, monthly pain.

Ford Announces Station Wagon in New Falcon Series

Ford Motor Company, which mass produced the world's first station wagon 30 years ago, and has sold more station wagons than any other company, this week announced the latest addition to the economy field—the Ford Falcon station wagon—with the longest cargo space and greatest floor load area in its class.

The Falcon station wagon seats six passengers comfortably and will be offered in either two or four-door models. It will be first displayed in public at the Chicago Automobile Show January 16.

The two new station wagon models, like the Tudor and Fordor sedans, are powered by the efficient six-cylinder 90-horsepower Falcon engine, designed to provide 50 per cent better fuel economy than the six-cylinder engines in standard sized cars.

Ford began mass producing the station wagon in 1929 and has led the industry in sales and production ever since, having built nearly 2,000,000 in the past three decades, 1,000,000 in the last four years alone.

For announced its Falcon station wagon models would go on sale in the spring at Ford dealers.



BIRTHDAY SMILE—House Speaker Sam Rayburn, 78 years old, poses for a smiling birthday portrait on Capitol Hill.

By coincidence the anniversary came on the starting date of the second session of the eighty-sixth Congress. As he posed for the photograph Rayburn commented: "That will make the old moids tremble when they see that one."

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ship showrooms from coast to coast. Connally Ford Sales will have the vehicles in Hamlin. Suggested prices have not yet been announced.

Many Operators of Trucks Have Not Paid Federal Highway Fee

A considerable number of truck operators have not paid their federal use tax on highway motor vehicles, according to A. E. Fogle Jr., administrative officer of the Abilene office. The Internal Revenue Service has surveyed the state registration records and has prepared a list of the truck operators subject to the federal highway use tax who have not filed their tax return on Form 2290 and paid their tax.

Fogle explained that, although the law had been in effect since July 1, 1956, many truck operators still are not familiar with the tax and with the fact that a return must be filed annually and the tax paid. Other returns may be due if additional trucks are put into operation during the year. In general, this tax applies to the use on the public highways of motor vehicles having a taxable gross weight of more than 26,000 pounds. The tax applies to these vehicles even if they are operated solely within a city, town or other metropolitan area.

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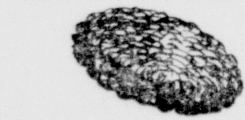
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